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REMARKS

Claims 1-30 are pending. The Examiner allows claims 5, 7, and 22-24. The Examiner rejects claims 1 and 30 under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by Harrison (U.S. Patent No. 6,173,432). The Examiner rejects claims 2-4, 6, 8-21, and 25-29 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being anticipated by Harrison in view of Applicant Admitted Prior Art (AAPA).

The Applicants amend claims 8, 10, and 25 and cancel claims 1-4, 6, and 30. Claims 5, and 7-29 remain in the application.

The Applicants add no new matter and request reconsideration.

Claims Allowable

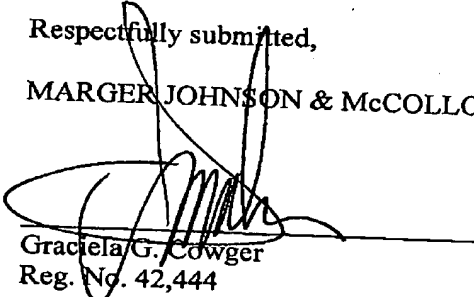
The Applicants thank the Examiner for the allowance of claims 5, 7, and 22-24. The Applicants amend claims 8, 10, and 25 (and dependent claims 9, 11-21, and 26-29 by association) to depend from allowable claim 5. Claims 5 and 7-29 are in condition for allowance.

Conclusion

The Applicants request reconsideration and allowance of all claims. The Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned at (503) 222-3613 if it appears that an interview would be helpful in advancing the case.


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